Adopted Rejected

## **COMMITTEE REPORT**

YES: 16 NO: 5

## MR. SPEAKER:

Your Committee on <u>Ways and Means</u>, to which was referred <u>House Bill 1063</u>, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill be amended as follows:

- 1 Delete everything after the enacting clause and insert the following:
- 2 SECTION 1. IC 5-22-16-4, AS AMENDED BY P.L.246-2005,
- 3 SECTION 54, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
- 4 JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 4. (a) An offeror that is a foreign corporation must
- 5 be registered with the secretary of state to do business in Indiana in
- 6 order to be considered responsible.
- (b) This subsection applies to a purchase of supplies or services
  tangible personal property for a state agency under a contract entered
- 9 into or purchase order sent to an offeror (in the absence of a contract)
- after June 30, <del>2003,</del> **2007,** including a purchase described in
- IC 5-22-8-2 or IC 5-22-8-3. A state agency may not purchase **tangible**
- 12 **personal** property or services from a person that is delinquent in the
- payment of amounts due from the person under IC 6-2.5 (gross retail
- and use tax) unless the person provides a statement from the

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department of state revenue that the person's delinquent tax liability: 1 2 (1) has been satisfied; or 3 (2) has been released under IC 6-8.1-8-2. 4 (c) The purchasing agent may award a contract to an offeror pending 5 the offeror's registration with the secretary of state. If, in the judgment of the purchasing agent, the offeror has not registered within a 6 7 reasonable period, the purchasing agent shall cancel the contract. An 8 offeror has no cause of action based on the cancellation of a contract 9 under this subsection. 10 SECTION 2. IC 6-2.5-4-14 IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2007]: Sec. 14. The department of 11 12 administration and each purchasing agent for a state educational 13 institution (as defined in IC 20-12-0.5-1) shall provide the department 14 with a list of every person who desires to enter into a contract to sell 15 tangible personal property or services to an agency (as defined in IC 4-13-2-1) or a state educational institution. The department shall 16 17 notify the department of administration or the purchasing agent of the 18 state educational institution if a person on the list does not have a 19 registered retail merchant certificate or is delinquent in remitting or 20 paying amounts due to the department under this article. 21 SECTION 3. IC 6-2.5-8-10 IS REPEALED [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2.2. 2007]. (Reference is to HB 1063 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Representative Crawford

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